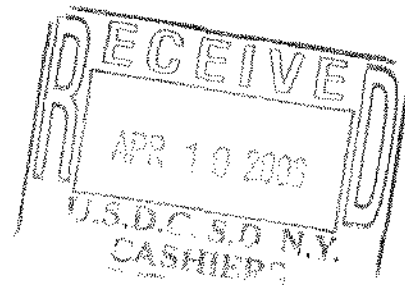


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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

EL KENZ DENIZCILIK NAKLIYAT VE
TICARET LIMITED SIRKETI,

Plaintiff,

-against-

STAHLIMEX STAHLHANDEL GMBH,

Defendant.

08 Civ. 2217 (MGC)

VERIFIED
AMENDED
COMPLAINT

Plaintiff, EL Kenz Denizcilik Nakliyat Ve Ticaret Limited Sirketi ("EL Kenz" or "Plaintiff"), by and through its attorneys, Holland & Knight LLP, for its verified amended complaint against Stahlmex Stahlhandel GmbH ("Stahlmex" or "Defendant"), alleges, upon information and belief, as follows:

1. This is a case of admiralty and maritime jurisdiction as hereinafter more fully appears and is a maritime claim within the meaning of Rule 9(h) of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure.

2. At all times material herein, EL Kenz is and was a business entity organized and existing under the laws of Turkey with its principal place of business at Cenap Sahabettin Sok. No:4, Kosuyolu 34718 Istanbul – Turkey.

3. Upon information and belief, at all times material herein, defendant Stahlmex is and was a business entity organized and existing under the laws of a foreign country with a principal place of business at Im Ruhbaum 4, 69412 Eberbach, Germany.

4. On or about December 21, 2007, EL Kenz, as owner, and Stahlmex, as charterer, entered into a voyage charter party (the "Charter") for the M/V SUN RAYS ("Vessel"), which Charter was memorialized via a fixture recap, dated December 21, 2007. A true and correct copy of the fixture recap is annexed hereto as Exhibit 1.

5. The Charter included the standard GENCON 76 Part II charter party terms with logical amendments. A true and correct copy of GENCON 76 Part II is annexed hereto as Exhibit 2.

6. The Charter also included rider clauses from an earlier Stahlmex charter party, dated October 26, 2005. A true and correct copy of the rider clauses is annexed hereto as Exhibit 3.

7. The terms of the Charter designated the Dellys port of Algeria on a "GSPB AAAA" basis meaning that charterer must designate a good safe port berth always accessible and always afloat.

8. The Vessel arrived at Dellys on December 20, 2007. The Vessel, however, was not allowed to berth and EL Kenz was informed on December 24, 2007 that Stahlmex was not going to perform under the Charter.

9. The Vessel's inability to berth at Dellys constitutes a breach of Stahlmex's obligation to provide a safe port berth pursuant to the terms of the Charter. As a result of said breach, and Stahlmex's subsequent failure to perform under the Charter, EL Kenz suffered damages in the amount of \$250,000 as can best be presently estimated.

10. The Charter is governed by English law, which routinely allows for costs, including a reasonable allowance for attorney's fees.

11. Upon information and belief it will take two years to bring this dispute to conclusion, resulting in the following estimated interest and attorneys' fees and costs:

Interest (at 6.0% from December 24, 2007 through March 5, 2010):	\$ 33,000.00
Attorneys' fees	\$ 100,000.00
<u>Total Principal Claim:</u>	<u>\$ 250,000.00</u>
Total Sought:	<u>\$ 383,000.00</u>

12. Stahlmex is not found within the Southern District of New York but does have assets, good or chattels within the jurisdiction, to wit: funds or accounts held in the name of Stahlmex Stahlhandel GmbH with, upon information and belief, the following financial institutions: Bank of America, N.A.; The Bank of New York; Citibank, N.A.; Deutsche Bank Trust Company Americas; HSBC Bank USA, N.A.; JPMorgan Chase Bank, N.A.; UBS AG; Wachovia Bank, N.A.; Société Générale; Standard Chartered Bank; BNP Paribas; Calyon Investment Bank; American Express Bank; Commerzbank; ABN Amro Bank; Bank Leumi USA; Banco Popular; or any other financial institution within the Southern District of New York.

WHEREFORE, EL Kenz Denizcilik Nakliyat Ve Ticaret Limited Sirketi prays:

1. That a summons with process of attachment and garnishment may issue against the defendant, Stahlmex Stahlhandel GmbH; and if defendant cannot be found, then that its goods, chattels and credits within the district, and particularly all bank accounts and other property of Stahlmex Stahlhandel GmbH with the financial institutions noted above in paragraph 12, may be attached in an amount sufficient to answer plaintiff's claim;

2. That defendant Stahlmex Stahlhandel GmbH and any other person claiming an interest therein may be cited to appear and answer the matters aforesaid;

3. That judgment be entered in favor of EL Kenz Denizcilik Nakliyat Ve Ticaret Limited Sirketi and against Stahlmex Stahlhandel GmbH in the amount of US\$383,000.00 (including estimated interest, expenses and attorneys' fees); and,

4. That this Court grant EL Kenz Denizcilik Nakliyat Ve Ticaret Limited Sirketi such other and further relief which it may deem just and proper.

Dated: New York, New York
April 9, 2008

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By:



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VERIFICATION

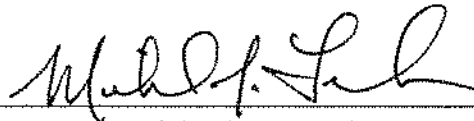
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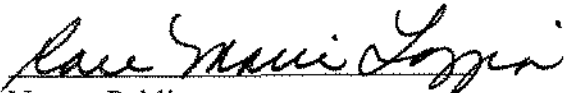
MICHAEL J. FREVOLA, being duly sworn, deposes and says:

I am a member of the firm of Holland & Knight LLP, counsel for EL Kenz Denizcilik Nakliyat Ve Ticaret Limited Sirketi ("EL Kenz"), plaintiff in the foregoing action. I have read the foregoing Verified Complaint and know the contents thereof, and the same are true and correct to the best of my knowledge. I have reviewed documentation provided to me by EL Kenz and corresponded with EL Kenz's representatives regarding this matter. I am authorized by EL Kenz to make this verification, and the reason for my making it as opposed to an officer or director of EL Kenz is that there are none within the jurisdiction of this Honorable Court.



Michael J. Frevola

Sworn to before me this
9th day of April, 2008


Notary Public

ROSE MARIE LOGGIA
Notary Public, State of New York
No. 01LO4603173
Qualified in Kings County
Commission Expires August 31, 2010

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EXHIBIT 1

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Kimden: Rederiet Otto Danielsen [od@ottodanielsen.com]
 Gönderme Tarihi: Cuma 21 Aralık 2007 19:17
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STAHLIMEXI chp - GENCON 1976
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We are pleased to advise revised final recap of the main terms and pforms chp
 ammendments asf :

MV SUN RAYS

CS 4LUW / IMO 7711658 / BLT 1978 / FLG GEORGIA
 DWT 2869 / DWCC 2700 / GT NT 1811 / 949 / LOA : 90.76 M LBP : 83.24 M / BREADTH
 :13.2 M DEPTH : 6.3 M G/B 4060 CBM / 9XPONTOONS / 4,91 MAX DRAFT HOLD SIZE NO1 / HATCH
 NO 1 6,23 X 10,4 X 5,4 HOLD SIZE NO2 / HATCH NO 2 37,14 M X 10,4 X 5,4 HOLD SIZE NO3
 / HATCH NO 3 6,23 X 10,4 X 5,4 -owners confirm that hatches have same dims and holds.
 -owners to send midship crosssection. -WEIGHT OF EACH OF THE 9 PONTOONS APT 8-9 MTS -
 THERE ARE SOME CELL GUIDES FOR CONTAINERS IN HOLDS NO.1 AND 3. -HOLDS ARE NOT SEPERATE
 FM EACHOTHER, THEREFORE VSL CAN BE CONSIDERED AS ONE HOLD. -pandi club- British Marine
 -head owners: Elegand Maritime -vsl and managers are ism certified. -vsl is isps
 fitted -vessels hull and machinery insured WITH: MILITARY MOSCOW -vsl always to be in
 conformity with applicable laws in load and discharging countries and united nations
 proclamations owners responsible for all costs/consequences if in violation of these
 applicable laws a/o above warranty. -above fixture to remain p/c, any disclosing of
 details being prohibited -the owners confirm the vessel is able to trade all
 ports/countries as given in the charter-party and is aware of local
 regulations/restrictions. -ALL CHRTRS / ONWERS SUBS / STEM ARE LIFTED

-ACCNT - STANLIMEX GmbH Germany

-DELLYS (MAX DRFT 5.00) / NEMRUT BAY - IGSPB AAAA BENDS

-UP TO FULL AND COMPLETE CAPACITY AT 5 MTRS DRFT AT CHOPT STEEL SCRAP IN BULK HMLESS /
 NON RADIOACTIVE, NON-DANGEROUS, NON OILY , EXCLUDING MOTOR BLOCKS, TURNINGS, HEAVY
 PIECES, RADIOACTIVE PIECES, SF APT 55 / 60' WOG OWNERS GTEE THAT MASTER WILL COOPERATE
 IN EVERY RESPECT FOR VESSEL TO LOAD AS MUCH CARGO AS POSSIBLE AND LIMITATE TRIM FORE
 OR AFT IN SUCH A WAY THT VESSEL LOADED TO BE AS MUCH AS POSSIBLE ON EVEN KEEL. -AS
 SOLE CGO -L/C 19TH/22ND OF DEC, 2007 -AT LOAD/DISCH PORT LOADED AND DISCHARGED CARGO
 QTTY TO BE DETERMINED BY DRAFT SURVEY AND MASTER/OWS TO BE RESPONSIBLE FOR THE
 QUANTITY SIGNED IN. OWS GTEE THAT DRAFT MARKS AFT/MIDDLE /FORWARD ARE READABLE AND
 VESSEL CAN PROVIDE ALL CALIBRATION TABLES ,PLANS, DRAWINGS AND DOCUMENTS NECESSARY TO
 CARRY OUT THE DRAFT SURV, AT INSPECTORS SATISFECTION . -DRAFT SURVEY ON CHRTRS ACCT
 /owners time -HEAD OWNERS TO APPEAR AS CARRIERS IN THE BILLS OF LADING -FRT usd 115000
 lmpsm fics bss upto vsl's fcc and complete cargo at 5 meters

drft

-FRT PAYABLE 100 PCT (INCLUDING COMMISSIONS).INTO OWS NOM BANK ACCT w/i max 3 B.
 DAYS after S/R COB BS/L MARKED 'FRT PAABLE AS PER CHP' IF BS/L MARKED 'FREIGHT
 PREPAID' ARE REQUESTED ORIGINAL TOBE KEPT BY AGNTS AND RLSD ONLY UPON OWS RCVD BANK
 SWIFT DTLS OF IRREVOCABLE REMITTANCE OF FRT TO OWS. -frr payable against invoice faxed
 to chrtrs via brok channel w/i max 6 whours after loading completed and then THE
 ORIGINAL couriered w/i max 24 hrs after loading completed -LOAD / disch 4.5 TTL
 WWDAYS OF 24 CONS HRS FHGX /SHEX UU FOR ALL PURPOSES INCL FULFILING OF CARGO CUSTOMS
 FORMALITIES. completed -AT LDPORT TIME FM THU NOON OR DPH 17H TILL SAT OR DAH 08H NTC
 UU AT DISPORT TIME FM SAT NOON OR DPH 17H TILL MON OR DAH 08H NTC UU -NOR TO BE GIVEN
 W/I THE LCAN AND ONLY DURING OFFICE HOURS SAT TO THU AT LPORT AND LTIME TO COMMENCE AS

PER 08/14 CL WWW -hold cleaning to be for owners acct / ownrs time -DEMM USD 2725
 PDPRFD -dem to be paid w/i 20 days after completion of discharging, right and true
 delivery of the cgo and presentation of owns time sheet with all supporting docs duly
 signed / stamped by all parties concerned including shippers/receivers. IF THEY ARE
 NOT AVAILABLE, THEN AGENT / MASTER ONLY -AT CHRTRS OPTION MASTER TO SIGN ONLY M/R AND
 OWNERS / MASTER TO AUTHORIZE AGENT AT LOADPORT TO SIGN/RELEASE BS/L ON THEIR BEHALF.
 FOR THE PURPOSE TO HIDE SHIPPERS NAME TO RECEIVERS (THUS TO AVOID THEM TO BY-PASS
 CHRTRS AND APPROACH SHIPPERS DIRECTLY FOR A NEW LOT OF CARGO) AGENTS ARE ALLOWED TO
 CHANGE SHIPPERS NAME IN THE BS/L. -IN CASE ORIGINAL BS/L NOT AVAILABLE AT DISPORT,
 CARGO TO BE DELIVERED AGAINST LOI SIGNED BY CHRTRS/SHPPRS ONLY NOT BY THE BANK;
 WORDING TO BE AGREED BETWEEN OWNERS AND CHRTRS. -OWS TO APPOINT CHRTRS AGENT AT
 LOADPORT : SEACOM AGENCIES

PIC: Mr. Fawzi tel 00213 21 71 66 52 / 97
 -Charterers AGENT AT DISPORT
 Mertas Nakliyat ve Ticaret AS
 Head-office Istanbul: +90 216 452 56 00 (PIC Mr. Turgay Iyicil) AND Aliaga office: PIC
 Mr. Hikmet OZKAN, tel. 0090 232 625 54 19,

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-Charterers will support owner to get competitive d/a from agent. -OPENING / CLOSING
 HOLDS ON CHRTRS ACCT BUT TIME FOR THE SAME NTC -STEVEDORES DAMAGES, IF ANY, TOBE
 SETTLED DIRECTLY OWS/STEVEDORES CO. -TXS/DUES ON CRGO ,INCL EXINS DUE VSL AGE, CHRS
 ACCNT

-SAME ON VSL OWS ACCNT GEN AVRGE/ARB IN LNDN-ENGLISH LAW TO APPLY -TTL BROK COMM TO BE
 PAID TO UNIMAR IMMEDIATELY AFTER FREIGHT RECEIVED INTO OWNERS BANK ACCOUNT AND OWNERS
 TO ISSUE SIGN AND STAMP " COMMISSION NOTE " (AS PER P/F) IN THS RESPECT. -5 % TTL
 COMM FOR UNIMAR BROKERAGE -OWISE AS PER CHRTRS PF GCN 76 CHP AMMENDE AS FOLL :

general

wherever contrary to the final recap or respective provision is missing, any box and
 or clause of the cp to be ammended, adapted to, completed and/or filled up in
 accordance with the final recap;

AMMENDAMENTS TO PART 11 OF GENCON 76 =====

CL 1

DELETE "STEAMER OR" ;
 DELETE TWO TIMES " OR SO NEAR THERETO AS SHE MAY SAFELY GET AND LIE ALWAYS AFLOAT".

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CL 2

DELETE FM "DAMAGE CAUSED BY CONTACT.. " AT LN 37 TO THE END OF THE CLAUSE.

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CL 3

REPLACE "...IN ANY ORDER ,FOR ANY PURPOSE" W I T H "EN ROUTE ,IN CONNECTION WITH THIS
 VOYAGE" .

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CL 4

DELETE FM 'IN CASH AT LN 47..TO THE END OF THE CL'
 ADD "SEE ALSO ADIT CL 20+21"

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CL 5

DELETE (a) GROSS TERMS.

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CL 6

TO BE AMMENDE AS PER RECAP

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CL 7

DELETE : "10 RUNNING DAYS ON"
 DELETE : "PAYABALE DAY BY DAY TO BE ALLOWED MERCHANT ALTOGETHER"

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CL 8

DELETE THREE TIMES "DAMAGE FOR DETENTION"

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CL 10

DELETE 2ND PARAGRAPH IN FULL

+

CL 11

DELETE IN FULL

ADD "SEE ADIT CL 25"

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CL 13

DELETE IN FULL

ADD "SEE ADIT CL 44"

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CL 15

DELETE IN FULL

ADD "SEE ADIT CL 29"

Rider - as per revised p/f attached - ammended asf :

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cl 19 D

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'time to stop counting ... etc' - to remain

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cl 34

Pls insert - "However, stevedores / shippers to undertake tht they'll provide reasonable protection by not dumping/dropping scrap cgo, AS PER MASTER INSTRUCTIONS AND to Master's satisfaction during loading AND CHARTERS TO SUPPORT OWNERS IN THIS RESPECT." END

Best Regards

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EXHIBIT 2

PART II
"Gancon" Charter (As Revised 1922 and 1976)
Including "T.L.O." Alternatives, etc.

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PART II
 "Gencon" Charter (As Revised 1922 and 1976)
 Including "A.I.G." Alternative, etc.

lost of the loading port, if more than one, it appears that further
 performance of the contract will require the vessel, her master and
 crew or her cargo, to any risks, the cargo shall be discharged, or if
 the discharge has been commenced shall be completed, at any safe
 port in vicinity of the port of discharge as may be ordered by the
 Charterers. If no such order shall be received from the Charterers
 within 48 hours after the Charterers have despatched a request by
 telegram to the Charterers for the substitution of a substitute discharg-
 ing port, the Owners shall be at liberty to discharge the cargo at
 any safe port which they may, in their discretion, decide on and such
 discharge shall be deemed to be due fulfillment of the contract of
 affreightment. In the event of cargo being discharged at any such
 other port the Owners shall be entitled to freight as if the discharge
 had taken place at the port or ports named in the Bill of Lading
 or to which the vessel may have been ordered pursuant thereto.

(3) (a) The Vessel shall have liberty to comply with any directions
 or recommendations as to loading, departure, arrival, routes, ports
 of call, stoppages, destination, zones, waters, discharge, delivery or
 in any other wise whatsoever (including any direction or recom-
 mendation not to go to the port of destination or to delay proceeding
 thereto or to proceed to some other port) given by any Government or
 by any Sovereign or by any organized body engaged in such war,
 hostilities or warfare operations or by any person or body acting
 purporting to act as or with the authority of any Government or
 belligerent or of any such organized body or by any committee or
 person having under the terms of the war risks insurance on the
 Vessel, the right to give any such directions or recommendations. If
 by reason of or in compliance with any such direction or recom-
 mendation, anything is done or is not done, such shall not be deemed
 a deviation.

(b) If, by reason of or in compliance with any such directions or re-
 commendations, the Vessel does not proceed to the port as being
 named in the Bill of Lading or to which she may have been
 ordered pursuant thereto, the Vessel may proceed to any port or
 ports or recommended or to any safe port which the Owners in
 their discretion may decide on and there discharge the cargo. Such
 discharge shall be deemed to be due fulfillment of the contract of
 affreightment and the Owners shall be entitled to freight as if
 discharge had been effected at the port or ports named in the Bill of
 Lading or to which the Vessel may have been ordered pursuant
 thereto.

(c) All extra expenses (including insurance costs) involved in discharg-
 ing cargo at the loading port or in reloading or discharging the cargo
 at any port as provided in Clause 4 and if the vessel shall be paid
 by the Charterers and/or cargo owners, and the Charterers shall have
 a lien on the cargo for all claims due under these Clauses.

17. GENERAL ICE CLAUSE

Part of Loading

(a) In the event of the loading port being inaccessible by reason of
 ice within vessel to proceed from her last port or at any
 time during the voyage or on vessel's arrival or in case frost sets in
 after vessel's arrival, the Captain for fear of being frozen in is at
 liberty to leave without cargo, and this Charter shall be null and
 void.

(b) If during loading the Captain, for fear of vessel being frozen in,
 deems it advisable to leave, he has liberty to do so with what cargo
 he has on board and is permitted in any other port or ports within
 option of completing cargo for Owners' benefit for any port or ports
 including port of discharge. Any port cargo thus landed under this
 Charter to be forwarded to destination at vessel's expense but
 against payment of freight, provided that no extra expenses be
 liability incurred to the Receiver, freight being paid as quantity
 delivered in proportion to quantity, all other conditions as per
 Charter.

(c) In case of more than one loading port, and if one or more of
 the ports are closed by ice, the Captain or Owners to be at liberty
 either to land the port cargo at the open port and filling elsewhere
 for their own account as under section (b) or to declare the Charter
 null and void unless Charterers agree to land full cargo at the open
 port.

(d) This Ice Clause not to apply in the Spring.

Part of Discharge

(a) Should ice (except in the Spring) prevent vessel from reaching
 port of discharge, Charterers shall have the option of keeping vessel
 waiting until the re-opening of navigation and paying demurrage, or
 of ordering the vessel to a safe and immediately accessible port
 where the cargo shall be discharged without risk of detention by ice.
 Such action to be given within 48 hours after Captain at Charterers
 have given notice to Charterers of the impossibility of reaching port
 of destination.

(b) If during discharging the Captain for fear of vessel being frozen
 in deems it advisable to leave, he has liberty to do so with what
 cargo he has on board and is permitted to the nearest accessible
 port where the cargo shall be discharged.

(c) On delivery of the cargo at each port, all conditions of the Bill
 of Lading shall apply and vessel shall receive the same freight as
 if also had discharged at the original port of destination, except that if
 the distance of the substituted port exceeds 100 nautical miles, the
 freight on the cargo delivered at the substituted port to be increased
 in proportion.

EXHIBIT 3

RIDER CLAUSES TO M/V / STAHLIMEX
CHARTER PARTY DATED 26TH OF OCTOBER 2005

CLAUSE 18:A. DESCRIPTION OF VESSEL

B. DESCRIPTION OF HOLDS

Vessel holds at Owner's risk and expense to be clean and free for the carriage of steel products before loading to Charterer's satisfaction and before NOR tendered at load port. In case of dispute in this respect, an independent surveyor, mutually acceptable to both parties to be appointed, cost to be shared equally. Holds must be ready for loading with dry, clean, flat surface and the Shipper must be in a position to start the loading without further preparatory tasks. If surveyor inspection is necessary, time to cease counting immediately; time to commence counting as per Charter Party terms immediately upon Surveyor's acceptance that holds are acceptable for loading. If surveyor deems holds were in all respects ready to load, then time to count as per original NOR tendered.

CLAUSE 19: LOADING AND DISCHARGING TERMS

(A) At load and each discharge port, Notice of Readiness to be tendered ssing Saturday, Sunday and Holidays included, upon vessel's berthing. Master's right to tender Notice of Readiness by cable/VHF/telex in case of congestion upon arrival Roads or Anchorage within Port jurisdiction/water, provided vessel is in all respects ready to load/discharge cargo. If berth congestion, time to commence at 1400 hours if NOR is tendered before Noon or at 0800 hours next working day if NOR is tendered after Noon, whether in port or not, whether in berth or not, whether free pratique or not, whether in customs clearance or not provided this does not interfere with Charterer's ability to load/discharge. Time lost waiting for berth to count as laytime. Berthing / unberthing are in Owners' account and responsibility and time for the same not to count. Vessel to allow loading prior to commencement of laytime and actual such time used to count.

~~delete > (...FOR ALL PURPOSES INCL FULFILING OF CARGO CUSTOMS FORMALITIES.)~~

Notice of readiness not to be tendered prior commencement of Laytime.

(B) The cargo to be loaded, and stowed, by Shipper's stevedores free of risk and expense to the vessel and to Master's satisfaction

~~delete - as per c/p~~

(C) The cargo to be loaded stowed and lashed, secured, dunnaged to the custom of trade. If Master requires additional lashing, dunnaging beyond what is the custom of the trade, then costs and time to be for Owner's account.

(D) The cargo to be discharged by Charterer's stevedores free of risk and expense to the vessel and to Master's satisfaction

~~delete - as per c/p~~

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Weather Working Days of 24 consecutive hours means that bad weather will not count as laytime on 24 hours basis unless vessel is already on demurrage. Bad weather to be evidenced by Statement Of Facts.

[REDACTED] delete - as per c/p

CLAUSE 21: OVERTIME

Overtime to be for account of party ordering same. [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] -- delete, but officer's and crew's overtime always to be for Owner's account.

CLAUSE 22: FORKLIFTS AND LIGHTS

Charterers to have the liberty to use rubber-wheeled forklifts during loading/discharging operations always in accordance with vessel's tank top strengths. The ship to work at night if requested to do so. Vessel to provide lights as on board for night work and inspection purposes, if required, free of expense to the Charterers. Any extra lights that the vessel has on board to be at Charterers disposal free of expense to the Charterers. Owners will furnish specifications for tank tops/tween decks and weather deck.

CLAUSE 23: TAXES AND DUES

At loading and discharging port(s), any taxes/dues on freight and/or vessel to be for Owner's account. Any taxes/dues on cargo to be for Charterer's account.

Port services both ends, including berth, port, pilot, tugs, motorboat, etc to be on Owners risk and responsibility and taxes/dues/fees for the same to be paid by Owners directly without involving Charterers.

CLAUSE 24: GEAR CLAUSE

Vessel is gearless

CLAUSE 25: ARBITRATION

All disputes arising out of this contract shall be arbitrated at London in the following manner, and subject to English Law.

One arbitrator is to be appointed by each of the parties hereto and a third by the two so chosen. Their decision or that of any two of them shall be final, and for the purpose of enforcing any award, this agreement may be made a rule of the court. The Arbitrators shall be commercial men, conversant with shipping matters. Such Arbitration is to be conducted in accordance with the rules of the Society of Maritime Arbitrators Inc.

For disputes where the total amount claimed by either party does not exceed USD 25,000.00 The arbitration shall be conducted in accordance with the Shortened Arbitration Procedure of the Society of Maritime Arbitrators Inc.

CLAUSE 26: PROTECTIVE CLAUSES

New Jason Clause, New Both to Blame Collision Clause, P&I Bunkering Clause, Voywar 1950

As attached to be considered fully incorporated in this Charter Party, U.S. Clause Paramount to be incorporated in all Bills of Lading destined for the United States, Canadian Clause Paramount to be incorporated in all Bills of Lading destined for Canada

CLAUSE 27:NOTICES

Owners shall give Charterers the following notices of arrival at Load/Discharge ports 3/2/1 days.

Immediately upon sailing from load port, Owners to notify Charterers in writing of the exact quantity of Charterers cargo on board and ETA at first discharge port.

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CLAUSE 29:FORCE MAJEURE

Charterers shall not be responsible for any delay if the cargo intended for shipment under this

Charter Party can not be produced, provided, delivered, loaded or discharged by reason of riots

Or lockouts of any class of workmen or stoppage of labour connected in any way with, or essential to the producing, providing, delivery, loading or discharging of the cargo, or by reason of floods, fire, snow ice, frosts, fogs, bad weather and all accidents or hindrances or other cause or causes beyond the control of the Shippers or Receivers which may prevent or delay the producing, providing, delivery, loading or discharging of the cargo, including all accidents to piers, shiploaders, and/or stoppages and hindrances, political disturbances, insurrection or interventions of constituted authorities.

In the event of the above hindrances existing on vessel's arrival at loading ports, Owners to have the option of cancelling the Charter Party, or if any of the above hindrances occur during loading, the Captain to be at liberty to sail with whatever cargo is on board. It is understood that Charterers will not be responsible for dead freight, damages etc. For Owner's cancellation of the Charter Party or sailing with whatever cargo is on board.

_____ as per c/p

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CLAUSE 32:ADDITIONAL INSURANCE

Vessel is free of any extra insurance

CLAUSE 33:

Master is not to take on or pump ballast at loading/discharging ports without obtaining permission of the Charterers. Vessel is not to take or release or switch from one tank or compartments to another, any ballast, fresh water or fuel oil while the surveyor is taking draft readings and/or tank soundings. Except in order to maintain stability/trim and safety of the vessel, Master is not required to obtain any prior permission from Charterers.

CLAUSE 34:STEVEDORE DAMAGE

Tanktops,tunnel and all other provisions/vulnerable parts of the vessels to be adequately protected against damage at vessel's time and expense,failing which,Owners to be responsible for all consequences. **Pls insert** - However, chrtrs to undertake tht they'll provide reasonable protection by not dumping/dropping scrap ego to master's satisfaction during loading.

Stevedores appointed by Shippers/Charterers to work under supervision of the Master and any dispute regarding damage to be settled directly between Owners and Stevedores, and Charterers to render all possible assistance.

CLAUSE 35:DUNNAGE/SECURING

Shippers have the option to use dunnage/wood materials and lashing/securing materials as on board the vessel,if any,but if not required,this is to remain on board the vessel [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] -delete by Owners at their expense,in their time.

Dunnage at discharge ports to be removed at Charterers time and expense.

CLAUSE 36:SHIFTING

Actual shifting time from anchorage to loading and/or discharging berth not to count as laytime even if vessel already on demmurage.Expense to be for Owner's account.If vessel is required to shift between berths at either loading or discharging ports,time to count as laytime.Expense to be for Shippers/Charterer's account.

CLAUSE 37:

The pilot,Master,Officers and Crew of the vessel and any tow boat person or facility assisting the vessel shall not be Agent or employees of the Charterers and Charterers shall not be liable for any loss,damage or claim resulting from or arising out of negligence or error of any of them whilst vessel is proceeding to or from or laying at any place of loading or discharging.

CLAUSE 38:BILLS OF LADING

[REDACTED]
The master is to sign Carrier's regular Bill of Lading form basis F.I.O.S. for the weight to be loaded -pls insert ascertained by a certificated draft survey [REDACTED]

[REDACTED] delete - as per c/p if any conflicts arise between the terms of the Bills of Lading and Charter Party, the terms of the Charter Party shall govern notwithstanding any inconsistent provisions of the Bills of Lading. Bills of Lading will be issued as "Clean on Board",and "Freight Payable as per Charter Party".

Remarks related to cargo condition will be inserted in the Mate's Receipts and Charterers/Receivers will issue L.O.I.

[REDACTED] - delete - as per c/p

CLAUSE 39:

Terms of negotiation and final fixture of this Charter Party to be kept strictly Private and Confidential.

CLAUSE 40:

Owners are to exercise due diligence to make the ship seaworthy in all respects and to ensure the water tightness of all hatch covers and closures. If the water tightness of any hatch or closure appears to be deficient, Owners shall promptly take all measures to reinstate and repair the same and this shall be done at Owner's time and expense and for Owner's account.

CLAUSE 41:

Should vessel become subject to arrest and should the loading or discharge of the cargo to be delayed and/or additional costs as a result of such arrest. All direct and indirect costs, time and damages shall be for account of Owners. Should vessel for whatever reason be prevented from proceeding to second or subsequent discharge ports cargo for second or subsequent discharge port shall be discharged in the first discharge port and delivered to the port of destination as per the Bill of Lading.

CLAUSE 42: BANKING INSTRUCTIONS

Freight to be paid as agreed in Box 14 by telegraphic transfer to :

To be advised

Freight to be deemed fully earned, discountless, non-returnable upon cargo is loaded on board vessel and/or cargo lost or not lost.

Full freight to be paid within 3 banking day after completion of loading after signing releasing of Bills of Lading in any case Before Breaking Bulk.

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CLAUSE 46:

Shore tally at load and discharge port on Charterer's account. Shipboard tally by crew to be for Owner's account. Separation and markings, if any, to be for Charterer's account.

CLAUSE 47: AGENTS

Charterer's agents at Load and Discharge ports.

As advised.

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